## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application: Cook et al.

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For: Method and Apparatus for Sending Messages in a Data

**Processing System** 

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN THE FIRST MONTH

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for a one-month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action in the above case, pursuant to 37 CFR Section 1.17(a). Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$110.00 for the extension fee. No additional extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an additional extension of time is required, the extension is requested and, I authorize the Commissioner to charge these additional fees, which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-0392.

Respectfully submitted,

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